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*Whereas, May 19, 2007, marks the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Knights of Columbus Monsignor William J. Kreis Council 1231;*

*Whereas, The Knights of Columbus began when Father Michael J. McGivney called a small group of men together in the basement of St. Mary's Church on Hillhouse Avenue in New Haven, Connecticut;*

*Whereas, The original founders of the Knights of Columbus "sought strength in solidarity, and security through unity of purpose and devotion to a holy cause: they vowed to be defenders of their country, their families and their faith";*

*Whereas, Father McGivney also envisioned that the Knights of Columbus would offer a life insurance program to provide for the widows and orphans of deceased members;*

*Whereas, Members of the Knights of Columbus Monsignor William J. Kreis Council 1231 are active members in their community, staunch supporters of their church and faith, and dedicated to protecting and enhancing their family life; and*

*Whereas, For hundreds of years, the members of the Knights of Columbus have worked to bring the joy of giving to others to its members; the Knights of Columbus*



*Monsignor William J. Kreis Council 1231 continues the work of Father McGivney and continually strives to make their community a better place in which to live: Therefore,*

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:*

- 1       SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly congratulates the
- 2       Knights of Columbus Monsignor William J. Kreis Council 1231 on the
- 3       occasion of the 100th anniversary of its founding and expresses our
- 4       gratitude for the members' good works and dedication to their faith,
- 5       their church, their family, and their community.
- 6       SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
- 7       Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the Monsignor
- 8       Joseph Kiser 100th Anniversary Committee.

